

Form PTO-447A  
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Staple to face of Application

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**APPLICATION TRANSFER REQUEST FOR S.N. 10007227****Section I. TRANSFER REQUEST BY**Name **RUGGLES, JOHN S** Date **5/27/2003**TO: Art Unit **3727** Class/sub **220/200+**FROM: A.U. **1756** Class **430****REASON:**

Process and apparatus for closure interlock sealing of processing chamber (receptacle closure, etc.)

Gatekeeper concurrence \_\_\_\_\_

**Section IIa. DISPOSITION BY RECEIVING TC**By: **NTN** A.U. **3727** Date **11/4/03**

NOT ACCEPTED

☒ Forward to receiving TC <sup>3652</sup> Post Classifier**REASON:**

NOT PROPER FOR CLASS 220.  
CLAIMS DIRECTED TO APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING MATERIALS & DOOR W/ ACTUATOR  
i METHOD. THE METHOD WOULD ALSO

**Section IIb. DISPOSITION BY RECEIVING TC POST CLASSIFIER**

APPEAR TO BE MORE COMPREHENSIVE AS  
INCLUDES INSERTING &  
PROCESSING SUBSTRATE.

☐ This dispute was resolved.

Forward to TC/AU \_\_\_\_\_ Class/Sub \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Post Classifier \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Concurring \_\_\_\_\_

☐ This dispute was not resolved, forward to DISPUTE RESOLUTION PANEL**Post Classifier Assessment:**

Gatekeeper concurrence \_\_\_\_\_

Post Classifier \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Section III. DISPOSITION BY DISPUTE RESOLUTION PANEL**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Panel Decision:**

Forward To Technology Center/Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Class/sub \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

**REASON:**

Panel Member \_\_\_\_\_

Concurring Panel Member \_\_\_\_\_